

# TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

## **Executive Session Meeting Minutes**

October 30, 2013, 9:33 a.m. Capitol Extension, Room E1.010 Austin, Texas 78701



**COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:** Jim Clancy, Chair; Paul W. Hobby, Vice Chair; Hugh C. Akin, Tom

Harrison, Bob Long, Tom Ramsay, and Chase Untermeyer.

**COMMISSIONERS ABSENT:** Paula M. Mendoza

#### **MINUTES**

This meeting was recorded. These minutes are a summary record of the Commission's actions at the meeting. For a detailed record of discussions and statements made by persons speaking at the meeting, please consult the audio recordings on file at the Commission's office.

### Agenda Item 1: Call to order; roll call.

The meeting was called to order by Chair Clancy. David A. Reisman, Executive Director, called the roll. All Commissioners were present, except for Commissioner Mendoza.

Agenda Item 2: Executive session pursuant to Section 551.071, Government Code, Consultation with

**Attorneys; Closed Meeting.** Discussion of pending litigation to seek legal advice relating to the following: Texans for Free Enterprise v. Texas Ethics Commission, David A. Reisman, et al., in the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, Case No. 13-50014.

Went into executive session at 9:34 a.m.

### **Agenda Item 3:** Reconvene in open session.

Reconvened in open session at 9:48 a.m.

Motion by Vice Chair Hobby to adopt Resolution Option 1 with amendments; second by Commissioner Tom Harrison. **Motion passed by a vote of seven ayes.** 

Motion by Commissioner Harrison directing staff to prepare a proposed rule and a possible form necessary to comply with guidance listed in Resolution Option 1; second by Commissioner Long. **Motion passed by a vote of seven ayes.** 

# Agenda Item 4: Adjourn.

Motion by Commissioner Long to adjourn; second by Commissioner Untermeyer. **Motion passed by unanimous vote.** 

Meeting adjourned at 9:50 a.m.